



Receipt

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: P-1051

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Ronald A. Greinke *et al.* :

SERIAL NO: 10/027,207

: ART UNIT: 1772

FILED: December 26, 2001

: EXAMINER: TBD

FOR: Improved Thermal Interface Material :

Asst. Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST-CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO: ASST. COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, OFFICE OF INITIAL PATENT EXAMINATION, CUSTOMER SERVICE CENTER, WASHINGTON D.C. 20231 ON THIS DAY OF March 2002. BY: Carrie A. McPherson ^{18th}

REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

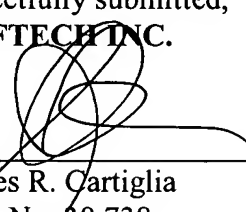
Sir:

The applicants respectfully request a new filing receipt be issued. Upon review of the filing receipt, the applicants have noticed that inventor Daniel W. Krassowski's middle initial was mistakenly typed as "J". The correct spelling of Daniel W. Krassowski is --Daniel W. Krassowski--. The title was also mistakenly typed as "Thermal Interface Material". The correct title is - -Improved Thermal Interface Material- -.

No additional fee is due. If there are any additional fees due in connection with the filing of this response, the Commissioner is authorized to charge or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1202.

RECEIVED
APR 04 2002
TC 1700

Respectfully submitted,
GRAFTECH INC.

By 
James R. Cartiglia
Reg. No. 30,738
Tel. (302) 778-8206

RECEIVED
APR 04 2002
Technology Center 2600

JRC/cam

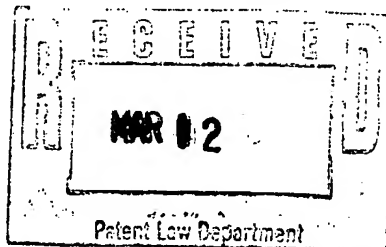


UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING DATE	GRP ART UNIT	FIL FEE REC'D	ATTY. DOCKET NO	DRAWINGS	TOT CLAIMS	IND CLAIMS
10/027,207	12/26/2001	1772	1052	N-8062	2	28	5

Lucian Wayne Beavers
Wadley & Patterson
414 Union Street, Suite 2020
Bank of America Plaza
Nashville, TN 37219



CONFIRMATION NO. 1398

FILING RECEIPT



OC000000007370191

Date Mailed: 01/28/2002

Receipt is acknowledged of this nonprovisional Patent Application. It will be considered in its order and you will be notified as to the results of the examination. Be sure to provide the U.S. APPLICATION NUMBER, FILING DATE, NAME OF APPLICANT, and TITLE OF INVENTION when inquiring about this application. Fees transmitted by check or draft are subject to collection. Please verify the accuracy of the data presented on this receipt. If an error is noted on this Filing Receipt, please write to the Office of Initial Patent Examination's Customer Service Center. Please provide a copy of this Filing Receipt with the changes noted thereon. If you received a "Notice to File Missing Parts" for this application, please submit any corrections to this Filing Receipt with your reply to the Notice. When the USPTO processes the reply to the Notice, the USPTO will generate another Filing Receipt incorporating the requested corrections (if appropriate).

Applicant(s)

Ronald A. Greinke, Medina, OH;
Daniel X Krassowski, Columbia Station, OH;
W.

Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

Foreign Applications

If Required, Foreign Filing License Granted 01/25/2002

Projected Publication Date: To Be Determined - pending completion of Missing Parts

Non-Publication Request: No

Early Publication Request: No

Title

Improved Thermal interface material

Preliminary Class

428

RECEIVED
APR 04 2002
TC 1700

DOCKET DATE: 3/26/02 19
12/26/02 12
ASSIGNED BY: _____
DOCKETED BY: MAC
DATE: 2/7/02

RECEIVED

FEB 04 2002

WADLEY AND PATTERSON, P.C.



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

FILE COPY
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
WASHINGTON, DC 20531
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED APPLICANT	ATTY. DOCKET NO./TITLE
10/027,207	12/26/2001	Ronald A. Greinke	N-8062

CONFIRMATION NO. 1398



OC000000007766149

Lucian Wayne Beavers
Wadley & Patterson
414 Union Street, Suite 2020
Bank of America Plaza
Nashville, TN 37219

Date Mailed: 04/02/2002

RESPONSE TO REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Publication and General Rules Issues

In response to your request for a corrected Filing Receipt, the Office is unable to comply with the request because:

- ☐ The articles such as "a", "an", and "the" are not included as the first words in the title of an application. They are considered to be unnecessary to the understanding of the title.
- ☒ The words "new", "improved", "improvement of", "improvement in", or "improvement relating to" are not included as the first words in the title of an application because a patent application is, by nature, a new idea or improvement. See MPEP 606.
- ☐ The title appears on the filing receipt in sentence case for publication in the Annual Index of Patents.
- ☐ Amendments are not accepted in provisional applications. See 37 CFR 1.53(c).
- ☐ An amendment or Application Data Sheet is needed to make this change.
- ☐ The inventor's residence will only include the city and state for U.S. residences or city and country for residences outside the U.S. (See MPEP 605.02.)
- ☐ Continuity claimed under 35 USC 120 cannot be added to the Filing Receipt without the applicant supplying the relationship (continuation, divisional, or continuation-in-part) in an Application Data Sheet or amendment to the first page of the specification.

☐ Small entity status was previously claimed in this application. To notify the Office of a loss of entitlement to small entity status, see 37 CFR 1.27(g). To have a good faith error in claiming small entity status excused, see 37 CFR 1.28(c).

☐ The request for non-publication was not timely filed. A request for non-publication must be submitted upon filing of an application. The application is scheduled to be published on the date specified on the filing receipt. See 37 CFR 1.213(a)(1)

☐ The request for non-publication has not been recognized because it is not conspicuous as required by 37 CFR 1.213(a)(2)

☐ The request for non-publication has not been recognized because it does not contain the certification as required by 37 CFR 1.213(a)(3).


☐ The request for non-publication has not been recognized because it is not signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) as required by 37 CFR 1.213(a)(4).

☐ There was no prior request for non-publication in this application. The request to rescind the non-publication request will not be processed.

☐ Your request for non-publication will not be acknowledged because this application is not eligible for publication. Only utility and plant applications filed on or after November 29, 2000 are eligible for publication.

☐ The "Non-Publication Request" indicator is correct. If there was a proper request submitted at the time of filing, the notation on the filing receipt will be "Yes". If no such request was made, the notation will be "No".

☐ Assignment information will only be included for applications that are eligible for publication.



Customer Service Center
Office of Initial Patent Examination
(703) 308-1202